

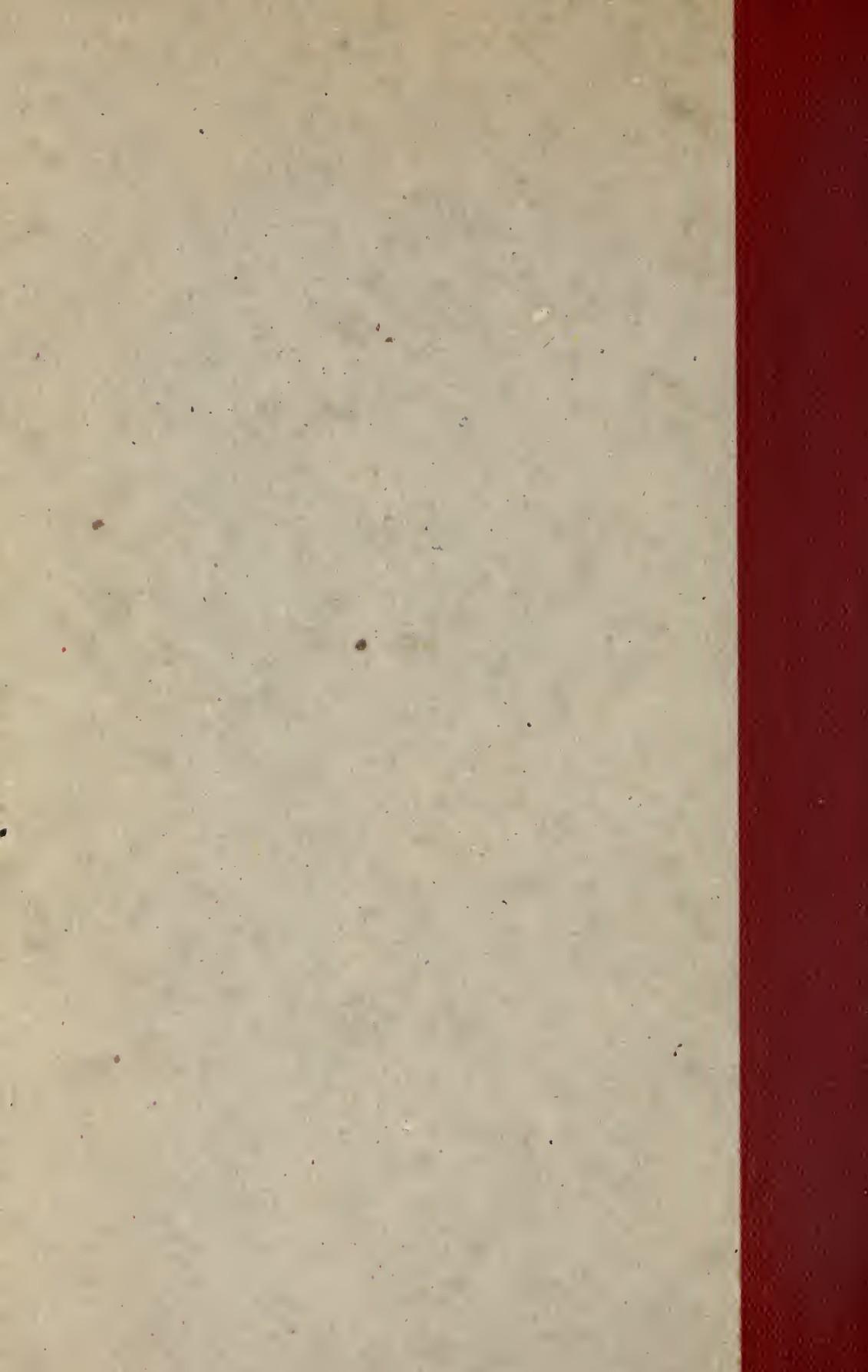
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1758-1835

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FOREWORD

This hand-list of the writings of Thomas Taylor, "the Platonist" (1758-1835) has been prepared for use in connection with the reference work of the Library, since many lines of investigation in the fields of Philosophy, English Literature, and the Classics are found to cross or to approach his varied activities. As no complete bibliography of Taylor's publications is known to exist, it seemed desirable to compile the present list as an aid to students whose studies in the Library required access to and knowledge of the life and works of this well known English Platonist. Every effort has been made to make the list as complete as possible.

The works are arranged in chronological order. The original works of each year are followed by edited works and translations. The titles of works now in The Newberry Library are designated by their respective "call-numbers". Those not in the Library are indicated by references to the authorities whence a knowledge of them was derived. A key to the abbreviations used for these authorities will be found at the end of the list.

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WRITINGS OF THOMAS TAYLOR

1780

The elements of a new method of reasoning in geometry, applied to the rectification of the circle. [By Thomas Taylor] Lond.1780. Q.

B.M., DNB.

1782

On the nature of the universe [by Ocellus Lucanus. A paraphrase of this work by Thomas Taylor] (in European magazine, v.2, p.180-182, 262-263, 350-351, 429-430. Sept.-Dec., 1782) A 51.315.

Note: Preceded by a "Note to the editors of the European magazine," signed: T.T.

1787

The mystical initiations; or, Hymns of ORPHEUS; tr. from the original Greek, with a preliminary dissertation on the life and theology of Orpheus, by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1787. D. Y 642.0 917.

Concerning the beautiful; or, A paraphrase translation from the Greek of PLOTINUS. Ennead I. Book VI. By T.Taylor. Lond.1787. D. B.M., L.

Note: Entered in some lists under the title: On the beautiful, and An essay on the beautiful.

1788-1789

The philosophical and mathematical commentaries of PROCLUS...on the first book of Euclid's Elements, and his life by Marinus. Tr. from the Greek. with a preliminary dissertation on the Platonic doctrine

1788-1789

of ideas, &c. by Thomas Taylor. (To which are added, a history of the restoration of the Platonic theology, by the latter Platonists: and a translation..of Proclus's theological elements) Lond.1788-1789. 2v.Q. B.M.

1790

A dissertation on the Eleusinian and Bacchic mysteries. [By Thomas Taylor] Lond?[1790] O.

Adv.L.,B.,Bost.,B.M.,L.C.

Note: This dissertation, with additions, appeared also in the Pamphleteer, v.8. 1816.
(See under that date)

Note: Some lists give the place and date of the first edition as Amsterdam, 1791, or [1790?]

1792

A vindication of the rights of brutes. [By Thomas Taylor] Lond.1792. D. B.M.,L.

Note: Said to be a satire on Paine's Rights of man.

The hymns of ORPHEUS, tr. from the original Greek: with a...dissertation on the life and theology of Orpheus [by T.Taylor] Lond.1792. O.

B.M.,DNB.,L.

Note: In verse.

The Phaedrus of PLATO; a dialogue concerning beauty and love. Tr. from the Greek [by T.Taylor] Lond.1792. Q. B.M.,L.

An essay on the beautiful. From the Greek of PLOTINUS. Lond.1792. D. L.

Note: Translated by Thomas Taylor.

The philosophical and mathematical commentaries of PROCLUS, on the first book of Euclids' Elements. To which are added, A history of the restoration of Platonic theology, by the latter Platonists [by Thomas Taylor]: and a translation from the Greek of

1792

Proclus's Theological elements... Lond.1792. 2v.in
1.Q. Y 642.P 8087.

Note: Translated by Thomas Taylor.

1793

Five hymns [by Thomas Taylor] (in Sallust, the Platonist. Sallust on the gods and the world, [tr. by T.Taylor] 1793) Y 6409.86.

Two orations of the Emperor JULIAN: one to the sovereign sun, and the other to the mother of the gods; tr. from the Greek [by Thomas Taylor] With notes, and a copious introduction, in which some of the greatest arcana of the Grecian theology are unfolded... Lond.1793. nar.O. Y 642.J 617.

The Cratylus, Phaedo, Parmenides, and Timaeus of PLATO, tr. from the Greek by T.Taylor. With notes on the Cratylus, and an explanatory introduction to each dialogue. Lond.1793. O. B.M.,L.

Five hymns by PROCLUS in the original Greek, with a poetical version [by Thomas Taylor] (in Sallust, the Platonist. Sallust on the gods and the world. 1793) Y 6409.86.

SALLUST on the gods and the world; and the Pythagoric sentences of Demophilus, tr. from the Greek; and five hymns by Proclus, in the original Greek, with a poetical version. To which are added five hymns by the translator [Thomas Taylor]... Lond.1793. O. Y 6409.86.

Note: The version of Demophilus is reprinted in the Philobiblion. N.Y.1862. v.1, p.52.
Z 007.72.

1794

An abridgment to Mr. [Bryan] EDWARDS'S Civil and commercial history of the British West Indies. Lond.1794. 3v.O. Al.,B.M.,DNB.,L.,Low.

1794

Note: The editorship of this work is attributed by some authorities to Taylor; others do not question it.

The description of Greece, tr. from the Greek
[of PAUSANIAS] With notes [by T.Taylor] Lond.
1794. 3v.O. B.M.,L.,L.C.

Five books of PLOTINUS, viz. On felicity; On the nature and origin of evil; On Providence; On nature, contemplation, and the One; and On the descent of the soul; tr. from the Greek. With an introduction, containing additional information on these important subjects. By Thomas Taylor...
Lond.1794. O. Y 642.P 6004.

1795

A poetical paraphrase on the speech of Diotima in the Banquet of Plato. [By Thomas Taylor] (in Apuleius Madaurensis. The fable of Cupid and Psyche. 1795. p.93-117) Y 672.A 412.

The fable of Cupid and Psyche, tr. from the Latin [of APULEIUS MADAURENSIS]... To which are added, a poetical paraphrase on the speech of Diotima, in the Banquet of Plato; four hymns, &c. &c. With an introduction, in which the meaning of the fable is unfolded [by the translator, Thomas Taylor]... Lond.1795. nar.O. Y 672.A 412.

1798-1814

Letters to George Cumberland [by Thomas Taylor] (in Cumberland papers. Correspondence of the family of Cumberland, with papers...of George Cumberland, of Bristol. v.8, 1798. Br.Mus.add.mss., 36498; v.14, 1814. Br.Mus.add.mss., 36504) B.M.add.mss.

1800-1804

Four letters from Thomas Taylor, the "Platonist," to Charles Taylor, secretary of the Society of arts; Adelphi, etc., 15 June, 1800-8 Sept. 1804. ff.52-58. Followed (f.59) by "Extracts from the arguments of Celsus against the Christians as preserved by Origen." Br.Mus.add.mss., 34813.

B.M.add.mss.

1801

A dissertation on nullities and diverging series; in which the nature of infinitely small quantities is unfolded, and the to 'en, or, The one of the Pythagoreans and Platonists elucidated... (in Aristoteles. The metaphysics of Aristotle. 1801. p.[437]-467) Y 642.A 8559

The metaphysics of ARISTOTLE, tr. from the Greek; with copious notes, in which the Pythagoric and Platonic dogmas respecting numbers and ideas are unfolded from ancient sources. To which is added, A dissertation on nullities and diverging series, in which the conclusions of the greatest modern mathematicians on this subject are shown to be erroneous, the nature of infinitely small quantities is explained, and the to 'en, or The one of the Pythagoreans and Platonists, so often alluded to by Aristotle in this work, is elucidated, by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1801. sq.F. Y 642.A 8559.

1803

Graecum lexicon manuale, primum a Benjamine Hederico [HEDERICH] institutum: mox assiduo labore Sam. Patricii, auctum myriade amplius verborum: postremo innumeris vitiis repurgatum, plurimisque novis significatibus verborum locupletatum cura Jo. Augusti Ernesti: atque itorum recensitum et quamplurimum in utraque parte auctum a T. Morell...et denique nunc prodeat, prioribus longe emendatius, et in multis locis instauratum et emendatum a T. Taylor. Londini, 1803. Q. B.M., L.C.

Note: Unpaged.

1804

An answer to Dr. Gillies's supplement to his new analysis of Aristotle's works; in which the unfaithfulness of his translation of Aristotle's Ethics is unfolded. By Thomas Taylor... Lond.1804.
O. B.M.,L.C.

The Pythagoric sentences of DEMOPHILUS. [Tr. from the Greek by Thomas Taylor] (in Bridgman, William. Translations from the Greek. 1804)

B.,B.M.

The dissertations of MAXIMUS TYRIUS. Tr. from the Greek by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1804. D.

Y 642.M 218.

The works of PLATO, viz. his fifty-five dialogues and twelve epistles, tr. from the Greek; nine of the dialogues by the late F.Sydenham, and the remainder by Thomas Taylor: with occasional annotations on the nine dialogues tr. by Sydenham, and copious notes by the latter translator... Lond. 1804. 5v.Q. *Y 642.P 518. and B 14.689.

Note: Printed for T.Taylor.

1805

Miscellanies in prose and verse; containing the triumph of the wise man over fortune, according to the doctrine of the Stoicks and Platonists; the creed of the Platonic philosopher: a panegyric on Sydenham, &c., &c. By Thomas Taylor. Lond.1805.
O. B.M.,DNB.

1806

Collectanea; or Collections, consisting of miscellanies inserted by Thomas Taylor in the European and Monthly magazines, with an appendix containing some hymns by the same author never before printed. Lond.1806. D. B.M.,DNB.

Note: Only fifty copies printed.

1806-1812

[Works of ARISTOTLE, tr. with elucidations from the Greek commentators by T.Taylor] Lond.1806-12.
10v.sq.F. Y 642.A 818.

Note: Binder's title: Aristotle's works. Taylor.

Note: No general title-page. Each volume has special title-page.

1807

The treatises of ARISTOTLE on the heavens; on generation and corruption; and on meteors. Tr. from the Greek, with copious elucidations from the commentaries of Simplicius and Olympiodorus, by Thomas Taylor. Lond.1807. Q. Lond.Inst.

1809

The elements of the true arithmetic of infinities. In which all the propositions in the arithmetic of infinities invented by Dr.Wallis, relative to the summation of infinite series, and, also the principles of the doctrine of fluxions are demonstrated to be false; and the nature of infinitesimals is unfolded.. Lond.1809. sq.F. (in Aristoteles. [Works of Aristotle] v.6) Y 642.A 818. v.6.

The history of animals of ARISTOTLE and his treatise on physiognomy. Tr....by Thomas Taylor. Lond.1809. Q. B.M.

The arguments of the Emperor JULIAN against the Christians; tr. from the Greek fragments preserved by Cyril, bishop of Alexandria. To which are added, Extracts from the other works of Julian relative to the Christians. By Thomas Taylor... Lond., printed for the translator. 1809. O. Y 642.J 618.

Note: Privately printed edition of 25 copies.

Note: The title in Lowndes' Bibliographer's manual reads: The arguments of the Emperor Julian against the Christians, tr. from the Greek fragments preserved by Cyril of Jerusalem. To which

1809

is added, Extracts from the other works of Julian relative to the Christians. Lond., printed for the translator, 1809. B.M., L., Low.

1810

Commentaries of PROCLUS; on the Timæus of Plato, in five books; containing a treasury of Pythagoric and Platonic physiology. Tr. from the Greek by Thomas Taylor. Lond. 1810. 2v. B.

1811

The Great and Eudemian ethics, the Politics, and Economics of ARISTOTLE... Tr. from the Greek by Thomas Taylor. Lond. 1811. F. L.C.

1812

A dissertation on the philosophy of Aristotle, in four books. In which his principal physical and metaphysical dogmas are unfolded; and it is shown, from indubitable evidence, that his philosophy has not been accurately known since the destruction of the Greeks. The insufficiency also of the philosophy that has been substituted by the moderns for that of Aristotle, is demonstrated... Lond. 1812. sq.F. B 15.859.

Same. Lond. 1812. sq.F. (in Aristoteles.
[Works of Aristotle] v.10) Y 642.A 818. v.10.

1816

A dissertation on the Eleusinian and Bacchic mysteries... By Thomas Taylor... Ed. 2., with alterations. (in The pamphleteer. Lond. 1816. O. v.8, p.[33]-66; [455]-486) H 07.66

Theoretic arithmetic in three books; containing the substance of all that has been written on this subject by Theo of Smyrna, Nicomachus, Iamblichus, and Boetius... Lond. 1816. O. B 455.862

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1816

The six books of PROCLUS, the Platonic successor, on the theology of Plato, tr. from the Greek; to which a seventh book [by the translator] is added, in order to supply the deficiency of another book on this subject, which was written by Proclus but since lost. Also a translation from the Greek of Proclus' Elements of theology. To which are added a translation of the treatise of Proclus On providence and fate; a translation of extracts from his treatise, entitled: Ten doubts concerning providence; and a translation of extracts from his treatise On the subsistence of evil. By Thomas Taylor. Lond.1816. 2v.in 1.sq.F. Y 642.P 8088.

1817

Remarks on the *dæmon* of Socrates. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.16, whole no.31, p.160-164. Sept.1817) X 0163.003

Use of arches known among the ancients. [Signed: T.Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.16, whole no. 31, p.184-185. Sept.1817) X 0163.003

Select works of PLOTINUS..and extracts from the treatise of Synesius on Providence. Tr. from the Greek. With an introduction containing the substance of Porphyry's Life of Plotinus. By T.Taylor. Lond.1817. O. B.M.,L.C.

Life of Plotinus [by PORPHYRIUS] (in Plotinus. Select works of Plotinus. 1817)

Note: Forms the introduction to Plotinus' Select works and contains in Taylor's words the substance of Porphyry's Life of Plotinus.

1817-1818

Collection of the Chaldean oracles. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.16-17, whole no.32-34, p.333-344, 128-133, 243-264. Dec. 1817, March and June, 1818) X 0163.003.

1818

On a peculiar signification of the words demas and soma. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.18, whole no.35, p.202-203. Sept.1818) X 0163.003.

Orphic fragments, hitherto inedited. [Signed: T.Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.17, whole no.33, p.158-163. March, 1818) X 0163.003.

Remarks on a passage in Stobæus. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.17, whole no.34, p.455-456. June, 1818) X 0163.003.

The Rhetoric, Poetic, and Nicomachean ethics of ARISTOTLE, tr. from the Greek, by Thomas Taylor. Lond.1818. 2v.O. B.M.,DNB.

Same. Ed.2. Lond.1818. 2v.O. B.M.,DNB.

IAMBlichus' Life of Pythagoras, or Pythagoric life. Accompanied by fragments of the ethical writings of certain Pythagoreans in the Doric dialect; and a collection of Pythagoric sentences from Stobæus and others, which are omitted by Gale in his Opuscula mythologica and have not been noticed by any editor. Tr. from the Greek, by Thomas Taylor... [Lond.1818] O. Y 642.I 15.

Note: "...A list of translations and original works by T.Taylor."-p.[355]-360.

1819

On the antiquity of alchymy. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.20, whole no.39, p.75-78. Sept.1819) X 0163.003.

On the coincidence between the belts of the planet Jupiter and the fabulous bonds of Jupiter the Demiurgus. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.20, whole no.40, p.324-326. Dec. 1819) X 0163.003.

1819

On the philosophical meaning of the words bios, kinema, energema, and aisthema. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.19, whole no.38, p.363-364. June, 1819) X 0163.003.

1820

...Discovery of a verse of Homer, and error of Kiessling. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.21, whole no.42, p.361-362. June, 1820) X 0163.003.

Important additions to the first Alcibiades, and Timæus of Plato. [Signed: T.Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.21, whole no.41, p.141-142. March, 1820) X 0163.003.

Important discovery of the original of many of the sentences of Sextus Pythagoricus, which have been hitherto supposed to be alone extant in the fraudulent version of the presbyter Ruffinus. [Signed: T.Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.21, whole no.42, p.266-270. June, 1820) X 0163.003.

Miscellanies in prose and verse; containing, the Triumph of the wise man over fortune according to the doctrine of the Stoicks and Platonists. The creed of the Platonic philosopher; A panegyric on Sydenham, &c., &c. 2d ed., with additions. Lond. 1820. S. B 11.86.

On the theology of the Greeks. By Thomas Taylor. (in Classical journal. v.22, whole no.43-44, p.89-104, 301-314. Sept. and Dec. 1820) X 0163.003.

Platonic demonstration of the immortality of the soul. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.21-22, whole no.42-43, p.201-230[!], 40-51. June and Sept.1820) X 0163.003.

Note: Pages 205-224 skipped in numbering.

1820

The commentaries of PROCLUS on the Timæus of Plato, in five books; containing a treasury of Pythagoric and Platonic physiology. Tr. from the Greek by T.Taylor. Lond.1820. 2v.F. Y 642.P 8089.

1821

Notice of Professor Cousin's edition of the two first books of Proclus on the Parmenides of Plato... [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.24, whole no. 48, p.336-347. Dec.1821) X 0163.003.

On the mythology of the Greeks. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.23-24, whole no. 45, 47, p.33-41, 54-67. March, Sept. 1821)

X 0163.003.

The Rhetoric, Poetic and Nicomachean ethics of ARISTOTLE, tr. from the Greek, by Thomas Taylor. Lond.1821. O. B.M.,DNB.

Note: The Ethics are omitted in this edition.

IAMBlichus on the mysteries of the Egyptians, Chaldeans, and Assyrians; tr. from the Greek by Thomas Taylor... Chiswick,1821. 'O. Y 642.I 1.

1822

Observations on Professor Cousin's edition of the Commentaries of Proclus on the first Alcibiades of Plato, in 2 vols. 8vo. Paris, 1820 and 1821; and also on Creuzer's edition of the same Commentaries, together with those of Olympiodorus on that dialogue, in 2 vol. 8vo. Francof.1820 and 1821. [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.25, whole no.49-50, p.134-142, 300-305. March and June,1822) X 0163.003.

Observations on that part of a work entitled, Empedoclis et Parmenidis fragmenta ex codice taurinensis bibliothecæ restituta et illustrata, ab Amedeo Peyron, Lipsiæ, 1810, in which the author

1822

treats of the genuine Greek text of the Commentary
of Simplicius in Aristotelem de coelo et mundo.
[Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.26, whole
no.52, p.250-259. Dec.1822)

The Metamorphosis, or Golden ass, and Philosophical works of APULEIUS. Tr. from the original Latin by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1822. nar.O.

Y 672.A 413.

Political fragments of ARCHYTAS, CHARONDAS, ZALEUCUS, and other ancient Pythagoreans, preserved by Stobæus; and also, Ethical fragments of HIEROCLES...preserved by the same author. Tr. from the Greek by Thomas Taylor... Chiswick, 1822. O.

B 167.86.

Note: Binder's title reads: Taylor's political fragments.

1823

The elements of a new arithmetical notation and of a new arithmetic of infinities...with an appendix, concerning some properties of perfect, amicable, and other numbers, no less remarkable than novel. By Thomas Taylor. Lond.1823. O.

B 455.86

[Explanation of] the allegory of the Wanderings of Ulysses [by Thomas Taylor] (in Porphyrius. Select works...tr. by T.Taylor. 1823. appendix)

Y 642.P 76.

Observations on Creuzer's edition of the Commentary of Olympiodorus on the first Alcibiades of Plato... [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.27, whole no.53, p.39-47. March, 1823) X 0163.003.

Observations on the Scholia of Hermeas on the Phædrus of Plato, published by Fredericus Astius... [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.28, whole no.55-56, p.79-83, 268-273. Sept. and Dec.1823)

1823

Select works of PORPHYRY; containing his four books on Abstinence from animal food; his treatise on the Homeric cave of the nymphs; and his auxiliaries to the Perception of intelligible natures. Tr. from the Greek by T.Taylor; with an appendix, explaining the allegory of the Wanderings of Ulysses, by the translator. Lond.1823. O.

Y 642.P 76.

1824

Emendations of the text of Plato. [Signed: T. Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.30, whole no.60, p.304-306. Dec.1824) X 0163.003.

Introduction to the second edition of the translation of the Mystical hymns of Orpheus, by Thomas Taylor... (in Classical journal. v.29-30, whole no.58-59, p.322-331, 81-92. June and Sept. 1824)

Observations on the Excerpta from the Scholia of Proclus on the Cratylus of Plato, published by Professor Boissonade... [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.30, whole no.59-60, p.3-9, 247-253. Sept. and Dec.1824) X 0163.003.

The mystical hymns of ORPHEUS; tr. from the Greek, and demonstrated to be the invocations which were used in the Eleusian mysteries, by Thomas Taylor... Ed.2, with emendations, alterations, and additions. Chiswick,1824. O. Y 642.0 918.

The description of Greece, by PAUSANIAS, tr. from the Greek. With notes in which much of the mythology of the Greeks is unfolded from a theory which has been for many ages unknown. Illus. with maps and views. A new ed. with considerable augmentations in 3v. Lond.1824. 3v.O. DNB.,L.,L.C.
Note: Tr. by Thomas Taylor.

1825

Biblical criticism. [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.32, whole no.63, p.[31]) Sept.1825) X 0163.003.

Classical allusion [to Democritus. Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.31, whole no.61, p.195. March 1825) X 0163.003.

Notice of Professor Cousin's edition of the third, fourth, and fifth books of Proclus on the Parmenides of Plato... [Signed: T.] (in Classical journal. v.31, whole no.61-62, p.[16]-21, 271-279. March and June, 1825) X 0163.003.

The fragments that remain of the lost writings of PROCLUS, surnamed the Platonic successor. Tr. from the Greek, by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1825. D. Y 642.P 809.

1829

Corruption of Demiurgus. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.39, whole no.77, p. 101-103. March, 1829) X 0163.005.

Extracts from some of the lost works of Aristotle, Xenocrates, and Theophrastus. [Signed: Thomas Taylor] (in Classical journal. v.40, whole no.80, p.332-335. Dec.1829) X 0163.003.

1830

Arguments of CELSUS, PORPHYRY, and the Emperor JULIAN, against the Christians; also extracts from Diodorus Siculus, Josephus, and Tacitus, relating to the Jews. Together with an appendix containing the oration of Libanius in defence of the temples of the heathens, tr. by Dr. Lardner; and extracts from Bingham's Antiquities of the Christian church... Lond.1830. nar.S. C 5232.86

Note: Edited and translated by Thomas Taylor.

Note: Cover-title reads: Fragments of Porphyry, Julian, &c. against the Christians.

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1831

OCELLUS LUCANUS. On the nature of the universe.
TAURUS, the Platonic philosopher, On the eternity
of the world. Julius FIRMICUS MATERNUS Of the thema
mundi; in which the positions of the stars at the
commencement of the several mundane periods is
given. Select theorems on the perpetuity of time,
by PROCLUS. Tr. from the original by Thomas Taylor...
Lond.1831. D. B 42.86

1833

Two treatises of PROCLUS, the Platonic succe-
sor; the former consisting of Ten doubts concerning
Providence, and a solution of those doubts; and the
latter containing a development of the nature of
evil. Tr. from the edition of these works by Victor
Cousin...by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1833. D.

Y 642.P 8093.

1834

Translations from the Greek of the following
treatises of PLOTINUS; viz. On suicide, to which is
added an extract from the Harleian ms. of the
scholia of Olympiodorus on the Phædo of Plato re-
specting suicide, accompanied by the Greek text;
two books on truly existing being; and extracts
from his treatise on the manner in which the multi-
tude of ideas subsists, and concerning the good;
with additional notes from Porphyry and Proclus. By
Thomas Taylor... Lond.1834. D. Y 642.P 6005.

1873

The arguments of the Emperor JULIAN against the
Christians, tr. from the Greek fragments preserved
by Cyril, bishop of Alexandria. To which are added
Extracts from the other works of Julian relative to
the Christians. By Thomas Taylor. Repr. and ed. by
W.Nevins. Lond.1873. O. B.M.

1875

A dissertation on the Eleusinian and Bacchic mysteries. [By Thomas Taylor] 3d ed., ed. with introduction, notes, emendations, and glossary, by Alexander Wilder... N.Y.1875. O. Bib.L.

1880

Our birth is but a sleep and a forgetting. Three treatises of PLOTINUS (two on the essence of the soul [the second tr. by T.Taylor] and one on the descent of [the] soul) Tr. from the original Greek...by T.M.Johnson. Osceola,Mo.,1880. O. B.M.

1891

The Eleusinian and Bacchic mysteries. A dissertation. By Thomas Taylor... Ed., with introduction, notes, emendations and glossary, by Alexander Wilder... With 85 illustrations by A.L.Rawson. 4th ed. N.Y.1891. O. (Bouton's archaic library, v.1)

B.M.,L.C.

1893

The metamorphosis; or, Golden ass, and Philosophical works of Apuleius. Tr. from the original Latin by Thomas Taylor... Lond.1822 [repr. Birmingham,1893] O. L.C.

Note: "Of this re-issue only 600 copies have been printed...". "Passages suppressed", 4p. (inserted) in Library of Congress copy.

1894

The republic [of PLATO]... Tr. by Thomas Taylor. Lond.[1894] O. (The Scott library) B.M.

1895

Select works of PLOTINUS, tr. from the Greek, with an introduction containing the substance of Porphyry's life of Plotinus, by Thomas Taylor.

1895

New ed., with preface and bibliography by G.R.S.
Mead... Lond.1895. D. (Bohn's philosophical library)
Y 642.P 60055

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1896

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Greek and demonstrated to be the invocations which
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1906

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1917

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KEY TO THE ABBREVIATIONS

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Al. . . Allibone, S.A. Dictionary of authors.
B. . . Book-lore, v.3-4, p.11,169. 1885-86.
B.L. . . Brooklyn Library Catalogue.
B.M. . . British Museum Catalogue and Supplement.
B.M.add.mss. British Museum Catalogue of additional
manuscripts.
Bib.L. . . Bibliotheca Lindesiana.
Bost. . . Boston Public Library Catalogue.
DNB. . . Dictionary of National Biography.
L. . . Library, v.2, p.245,292. 1890.
L.C. . . Library of Congress catalogue.
Lond.C. . . London Library Catalogue.
Lond.Inst. . London Institution Library Catalogue.
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